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THE following Addreſs of the Miniſters and Elders of the Provincial Synod of Galloway, having been tranſmitted to the Earl of Shelburne, One of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been laid before the King: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

Unto the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Miniſters and Elders of the Provincial Synod of Galloway.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WE, your Majeſty's moſt loyal and dutiful Subjects, the Miniſters and Elders met in the Provincial Synod of Galloway, humbly beg Leave to approach your Throne, to expreſs our warmeſt Affections to your Perſon, Family and Government.

Impreſſed with a juſt Senſe of the great and invaluable Privileges, which, by the Bleſſing of Almighty God, we enjoy under the Government of your illuſtrious Houſe, we earneſtly pray God may prolong your Life, and proſper your Reign.

We behold, with great Indignation, the Peace of your Majeſty's Reign diſturbed, and the Nation involved in a long and expenſive War, by ſo many confederated Powers,—a War which requires the utmoſt Exertions of the State to ſupport the Honour and Dignity of your Crown, and the Sacred and Civil Liberties of your People; but we confide in the Wiſdom of your Majeſty's Councils, under Divine Providence, for diſappointing their wicked Deſigns, and terminating the War by an honourable Peace.

We view, with particular Satisfaction, that diſintereſted Plan of Œconomy which your Majeſty has ſo nobly and ſeaſonably recommended to your Parliament, and which we truſt, when followed out to it's full Extent by the generous and vigorous Efforts of your Majeſty and your preſent Miniſters, will effectually repreſs a Spirit of Luxury and Corruption, and encourage Public Virtue by the Force of the higheſt Examples.

We rejoice to ſee your Majeſty's Parliament employed in reſtoring our Civil Conſtitution to that noble State in which it was eſtabliſhed at the glorious Revolution. We pray God may direct their Hearts and ſtrengthen their Hands, for the Completion of that very important Work, which will exalt the Dignity of your Majeſty's Crown more than the Conqueſt of many Nations.

Permit us, Royal Sire, to aſſure you, that it ſhall be our conſtant Endeavour to inculcate upon the People committed to our Charge the Principles of Affection to your Perſon and Loyalty to your Government, to cheriſh in them a lively Senſe of the Bleſſing they enjoy under your Majeſty's Reign, and to animate them to a faithful Diſcharge of all the Duties which they owe to each other as Men and Chriſtians.

That the Sovereign of the Univerſe, the Father of our Lord Jeſus Chriſt, may guard your Perſon, lengthen your Days, eſtabliſh your Throne, and proſper your Arms; that Almighty God may ſhower down his choiceſt Bleſſings upon your Royal Conſort, our gracious Queen Charlotte, his Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales, and all the Royal Family; and that your Majeſty may long ſway the Sceptre over a free, virtuous, and united People, is the ſincere and fervent Prayer of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

Your Majeſty's moſt faithful, moſt obedient, and moſt loyal Subjects,

The Miniſters and Elders of the Provincial Synod of Galloway.

Signed in our Name, in our Preſence, and at our Appointment, at Kircudbright, the 24th Day of April, 1782, by

John Inglis, Moderator.

The following Addreſs of the Freeholders, Juſtices of the Peace, and Commiſſioners of Supply of the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright, has been preſented to the King by Peter Johnſtone, Eſq; Repreſentative in Parliament for the ſaid Stewartry, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bedchamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Freeholders, Juſtices of the Peace, and Commiſſioners of Supply of the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WE, your Majeſty's moſt loyal and dutiful Subjects, the Freeholders, Juſtices of the Peace, and Commiſſioners of Supply, of the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright, humbly beg Leave to approach your Throne, to teſtify our moſt zealous and ardent Wiſhes for the Honour and Dignity of your Majeſty's Crown, the Welfare and Proſperity of your Royal Perſon and Family, and the Conſtitutional Intereſts of theſe Realms, over which your Majeſty reigns.

We have with Admiration and Pleaſure received the Accounts of thoſe gracious Meſſages, which your Majeſty has been pleaſed to ſend to both of your Houſes of Parliament, recommending Publick Œconomy and Reformation throughout the Departments of the State; and we with Joy beheld your Majeſty making the Parliamentary Sentiments of your People the Rule of your Choice of Miniſters, and honouring thoſe with your Royal Confidence, who appeared to poſſeſs the Confidence of your People.

We have ſeen the moſt formidable Combination of Powers formed to diſtreſs your Majeſty and theſe Realms

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Realms that hath ever appeared on any Occaſion, when your Majeſty was left alone, without the Aid of a ſingle Ally, to carry on a deſperate, bloody, and expenſive War againſt them; but we rejoice in the Proſpect of that War being ſpeedily terminated by a ſafe, honourable, and laſting Peace, which we hope the Spirit and Wiſdom of your Majeſty's Councils will effectuate.

That your Majeſty may long reign in the Hearts of a free and united People; that your Royal Race may ſway the Sceptre (protected by the Laws) to the lateſt Poſterity; and that you may have every Comfort and Satisfaction in your illuſtrious Family, is the ſincere and fervent Wiſh of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful Subjects,

The Freeholders, Juſtices of the Peace, and Commiſſioners of Supply of the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright.

Signed in our Preſence, and in our Name, by

Ja. Murray, Preſes.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, May 14, 1782.

NOTICE is hereby given, That Their Majeſties will not go to Chapel at St. James's on Sunday next the 19th Inſtant, nor will there be any Drawing-Room there on Sundays 'till further Orders.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, April 24, 1782.

WHEREAS it is ſuppoſed that ſeveral Perſons, who have heretofore been appointed Gentlemen of His Majeſty's Moſt Honourable Privy Chamber in Ordinary, may, ſince the laſt Return in June, 1777, be dead or removed from their Places of Reſidence; That it may appear to the Lord Chamberlain of His Majeſty's Houſhold, who of them are remaining alive, his Grace is pleaſed to direct, that all ſuch do, on or before the 31ſt Day of July, 1782, tranſmit to Charles Herbert, Eſq; Secretary, at the Lord Chamberlain's-Office, St. James's, an Account of their preſent Places of Reſidence.

Admiralty-Office, May 14, 1782.

WHEREAS many Seamen have, from Time to Time, inconſiderately deſerted His Majeſty's Service, by leaving the Ships they belonged to, as they could find Opportunity for ſo doing, or, having been put on Shore Sick from His Majeſty's Ships, either into Hoſpitals or Sick Quarters, have made ſo ill a Return to the Care taken for their Healths as to deſert from His Majeſty's Service, when ſo far recovered as to be able to withdraw themſelves from the ſaid Hoſpitals or Sick Quarters; for which Crimes they have incurred the Loſs of their Wages, and are puniſhable with Death by a Court Martial: But my Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty being willing to impute ſuch Deſertion to a Raſhneſs which moſt of them ſoon repent of, and believing that they would return to their Ships, were it not from Apprehenſions of Puniſhment; in order therefore to remove ſuch Apprehenſions, and encourage them to return to their Duty, their Lordſhips do hereby declare, That if any Perſons who have deſerted as aforeſaid ſhall, on or before the Thirtieth Day of June next, return to the Ships to which they did belong, or, in caſe thoſe Ships are gone Abroad, enter themſelves on Board ſome other of His Majeſty's Ships, they ſhall not be puniſhed in any Manner whatſoever, on Account of the Crimes they have committed in withdrawing themſelves from His Majeſty's Service as aforeſaid, *excepting ſuch as have been guilty of Mutiny, or any other notorious Crimes:* And, as a further Encouragement, their Lordſhips are pleaſed to declare, that ſuch as ſhall ſo return ſhall have their R^s taken off, and be paid their Wages for the Ships from which they reſpectively deſerted; but their Lordſhips do alſo think fit to declare, that all Perſons under the above-mentioned Circumſtances, who do not make a proper Uſe of the Indulgence hereby offered them, will be ſtrictly ſought after, and, (in caſe they are apprehended) brought to a Court Martial, and treated as the Law directs.

Pb. Stephens.

Admiralty-Office, May 14, 1782.

WHEREAS there are at this Time ſeveral Deſerters from the different Diviſions of His Majeſty's Marine Forces, who might be induced to return to their Duty by an Offer of Pardon, and that ſuch Inſtance of Clemency would have due Influence on their future Behaviour; My Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty, in order to encourage them to return to their Duty, and to remove their Apprehenſions of the Puniſhment due to their Crime, do hereby give Notice, that ſuch of the ſaid Deſerters as ſhall ſurrender themſelves at any of the aforeſaid Diviſions at Portſmouth, Plymouth, or Chatham, or to any Recruiting Party of the Marines in Great Britain or Ireland, on or before the 30th Day of June next, will receive His Majeſty's Free Pardon.

And whereas ſeveral of the ſaid Deſerters have been apprehended and are now in Goal or Military Cuſtody, their Lordſhips do hereby further give Notive, that His Majeſty's Free Pardon will be extended to them alſo, of which they are to have the Benefit upon their Arrival at any of the Marine Head-Quarters.

And any Marine who may deſert after this Public Notice of His Majeſty's moſt gracious Intentions, will not be included in the above Pardon, but be proceeded againſt with the utmoſt Severity.

Pb. Stephens.

War-Office, May 4, 1782.

WHEREAS it has been repreſented to the King, That there are at this Time many DESERTERS from the Regular Corps in His Majeſty's Land Service, who might be induced to return to their Duty by an Offer of His Majeſty's Gracious PARDON; and that ſuch an Inſtance of His Royal Clemency would have a due Influence on their future Behaviour: His Majeſty is pleaſed to grant His Free PARDON to all DESERTERS from His Regular Land Forces, who ſhall ſurrender themſelves before the 17th Day of June next, either to the Regiments to which they belong, or to ſome other Regular Corps in His Majeſty's Land Service, or to any Additional Company or Recruiting Party thereof in Great-Britain or Ireland.

Such Deſerters, if able-bodied Men and fit for Service, ſhall be atteſted in the Corps to which they ſurrender; and not be liable to be claimed by any other Corps to which they may formerly have belonged.

And whereas many of the ſaid Deſerters have enliſted in other Corps, and are now ſerving therein; His Majeſty is graciouſly pleaſed to extend to ſuch Deſerters the Benefit of this Pardon, and to direct that they ſhall continue to ſerve in the Corps wherein they now are, not being Militia; and they ſhall not be liable to be claimed by that in which they formerly ſerved.

And whereas ſeveral of the ſaid Deſerters have been apprehended, and are now in Goal, or in Regimental Cuſtody; His Majeſty is likewiſe pleaſed to grant them His Free Pardon, of which they

they are to have the Benefit upon their Arrival at their reſpective Regiments, or upon their being attested in ſome other Regular Corps or Recruiting Party.

Any Soldier who may deſert, after theſe His Majeſty's moſt Gracious Intentions are made Public, ſhall not be included in the above Pardon, but be proceeded againſt with the utmoſt Severity.

By His Majeſty's Command,
THO. TOWNSHEND.

War-Office, April 29, 1782.

HIS Majeſty has been pleaſed to order, that over and above the uſual Bounty Money of THREE GUINEAS allowed to Recruits at the Time of Inliſting, every Man who, on or after the 13th Day of May next, ſhall inliſt with any Regular Corps of Infantry, ſhall receive, on his Arrival at the Quarters of the Regiment, and on being approved by the Commanding Officer thereof, the further Sum of THREE GUINEAS: And each Soldier, ſo hereafter inliſted and approved, ſhall receive another GUINEA at the End of Twelve Months from the Time of his being approved; and One more GUINEA at the End of the Second Twelve Months, if he continue ſo long in the Service without deſerting.

The Men who ſhall inliſt with the Recruiting Parties of Regiments on Foreign Stations, or with any of the Independent Companies, are to be entitled to receive the Firſt additional Bounty of THREE GUINEAS on their Arrival at Chatham, or ſuch other Place in Great Britain as they ſhall be ordered to; and on their being approved there by the Inſpector-General of the Recruiting Service, or ſuch other Officer as may be appointed for that Purpoſe.

By His Majeſty's Command,
THO. TOWNSHEND.

War-Office, May 8, 1782.

IT is His Majeſty's Pleaſure, That all abſent Officers belonging to Regiments in England, do immediately join their reſpective Corps; thoſe excepted who are employed on the Recruiting Service.

By His Majeſty's Command,
THO. TOWNSHEND.

By the KING,
A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE R.

WHEREAS divers Perſons have been guilty of the illegal Practices of clandeſtine importing and running of prohibited and uncuſtomed Goods, and thereby ſubjected themſelves to great Penalties, for which ſome have been already convicted, ſome are in Execution for the ſame, and others are under Proſecution, and many more liable to ſuch Penalties, in Conſequence of which they abſcond, or are gone into Foreign Parts, which has or may prove the Ruin of themſelves and their Families: And whereas they may yet be of Uſe to Us and their Country, in the preſent Conjuncture of Affairs, by ſerving Us in Our Navy, in caſe they are rendered capable thereof by Our Gracious Pardon: We, being deſirous of giving them an Opportunity of entering into Our Service, and of rendering themſelves of Service to the Publick, have thought fit, by and with the Advice of Our Privy Council, to iſſue this Our Proclamation; and We do hereby promiſe and declare, that in caſe any fit and able Perſon or Perſons, who has or have incurred any Penalties, in, by, or for the clandeſtine importing, running, landing, relanding, unſhipping, concealing, or receiving, or being aſſiſting in ſuch running, landing, relanding, or unſhipping, any prohibited Goods, Wares, or Merchandizes, or any Goods liable to the Payment of the Duties under the Management of the Commiſſioners of Cuſtoms, Exciſe, or Salt, or either of them, or who have beat, abuſed, obſtructed or hindered, any Officer or Officers of the ſaid Revenues, in the due Execution of their Duty, or by Reaſon or Means or on Account of any ſuch Offences as aforeſaid, or who are under any Proſecutions, Judgement, Outlawry, in Priſon, or under or ſubject to any Execution for any of the ſaid Offences, or gone beyond Sea to avoid the ſame, ſhall, on or before the Firſt Day of July next, voluntarily enter themſelves as Sailors into Our Service, either with the Officers of Our Ships or Veſſels of Our Royal Navy, or other Officers of Our Navy empowered to enter Men to ſerve on Board Our ſaid Ships or Veſſels, or ſhall procure One fit and able Seaman, and One fit and able Landman, for the Service of Our Navy, as Subſtitutes to ſerve for him, her, or them, ſuch as ſhall be approved by ſuch Officer or Officers in Our Sea Service empowered to receive the ſame; provided the Penalty to which ſuch Perſon or Perſons is or are liable, does not exceed the Sum of Five Hundred Pounds; and ſuch Perſon or Perſons who hath or have incurred a Penalty of more than Five Hundred Pounds, and leſs than Two Thouſand Pounds, finding Two fit and able Seamen, and Two fit and able Landmen, for the Service of Our Navy as aforeſaid; and ſuch Perſon or Perſons who hath or have incurred a Penalty of more than Two Thouſand Pounds finding Three fit and able Seamen, and Three fit and able Landmen, for the Service of Our Navy as aforeſaid, ſuch as ſhall be approved by ſuch Officer or Officers in Our Sea Service empowered to receive the ſame; all and every ſuch Perſon or Perſons, ſo ſerving, or providing Subſtitutes to ſerve for him, her, or them, as aforeſaid, ſhall have Our gracious Pardon of and for all and every ſuch Offence and Offences, and Penalties, and all Indictments, Informations, Proſecutions, Convictions, Judgements, Impriſonments, Executions, and Outlawries, ſued, incurred, had or given, or that may ariſe or accrue for or by Reaſon or Means of any of the ſaid Offences, or other Matters or Things aforeſaid, on all ſuch Perſon or Perſons ſo entering or finding Subſtitutes, producing to ſuch Perſon or Perſons at Our Admiralty Office as ſhall be there appointed, to be regiſtered by him or them at the Expence of ſuch Perſon or Perſons ſo entering themſelves or finding Subſtitutes, a Certificate or Certificates by the Officer or Officers with whom ſuch Perſon or Perſons, Seaman or Seamen, Landman or Landmen, ſhall be entered, of their having conformed as aforeſaid within the Time aforeſaid, and which Regiſtration, or a Copy thereof duly authenticated, ſhall be deemed and taken as Evidence in all Caſes of ſuch Conformity, and ſhall be a ſufficient Warrant for the Diſcharge of all ſuch Perſons in actual Cuſtody for any ſuch Offence: And We do hereby further promiſe and declare, that in all Caſes where the Party or Parties wiſhing to take the Benefit of this Our Proclamation, who ſhall not have been proſecuted, or being proſecuted ſhall not have been convicted, he, ſhe, or they, ſhall or may intitle themſelves thereto, by procuring Two fit and able Seamen, and two fit and able Landmen, for the Service of Our Navy, to be approved and regiſtered as aforeſaid.

Given at Our Court at St. *James's*, the Third Day of *May*, One thouſand ſeven hundred and eighty-two, in the Twenty-ſecond Year of Our Reign.

GOD Save the KING.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 10th of *May*, 1782.

PRESENT,

The KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majeſty was pleaſed, by His Order in Council of the 14th of December laſt, to order, that the Prohibition at that Time ſubſiſting upon the Exportation, or carrying of Copper Coaſtwiſe, ſhould be continued for Six Months, to commence from the 22d Day of December laſt: And whereas it has been repreſented to His Majeſty at this Board, on Behalf of the ſeveral Companies of Copper Smelters within the Kingdom in Great Britain, that the Prohibition of the Export of Sheet Copper, as directed by the ſaid Order, has been very detrimental to the Petitioners and to the Trade of this Kingdom in general: His Majeſty taking the ſame into Conſideration, and being ever deſirous to remove all Obſtructions upon Trade, ſo far as may be conſiſtent with ſound Policy, is hereby pleaſed, with the Advice of His Privy Council, to permit and allow Copper in Sheets, weighing leſs than Twelve and more than Forty Ounces to the Foot ſuperficial, to be carried Coaſtwiſe or exported to any Parts beyond the Sea, to which the ſame may be lawfully exported, upon Condition, that all ſuch Copper be inſpected and examined by an Agent or Agents appointed or to be appointed by the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy; and that a Certificate, under the Hand and Seal of the ſaid Agent or Agents ſhall be firſt had and obtained, ſetting forth, that no Part of ſuch Copper conſiſts of Sheets weighing more than Twelve Ounces and leſs than Forty Ounces incluſive to the Foot ſuperficial; which Certificate from the ſaid Agent ſhall be delivered to the proper Officers of the Cuſtoms at the Port in which the ſaid Copper is intended to be ſhipped, and ſhall be their Authority for allowing the Quantity of Copper ſpecified in the ſaid Certificate to be put on Board, in order to be carried Coaſtwiſe or exported: And His Majeſty is hereby further pleaſed to permit and allow the Exportation as aforeſaid of Copper in Sheets weighing more than Twelve Ounces and leſs than Forty Ounces incluſive to the Foot ſuperficial; provided that the ſame ſhall conſiſt of Pieces not exceeding Four Pounds Weight in any one Piece; and that a Certificate thereof be obtained in Manner above directed, before ſuch Copper be laden or put on Board; and alſo to permit the carrying Coaſtwiſe of Copper in Sheets weighing more than Twelve Ounces and leſs than Forty Ounces incluſive to the Foot ſuperficial; upon Condition that no more than Five Hundred Weight of ſuch Copper ſhall be ſhipt by any one Perſon or Partnerſhip, and that the Quantity put on Board any one Ship or Veſſel ſhall not exceed Ten Hundred Weight in the Whole, unleſs Security by Bond hath firſt been given to the proper Officers of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms, in Treble the Value of ſuch Copper, to carry the ſame to the Places propoſed, and none other; and to produce and deliver a Certificate or Certificates, within Two Months from the Date of the Bond, from the proper Officers of the Cuſtoms at the Ports for which any ſuch Copper ſhall be entered and cleared out, of the ſame having been all duly landed at ſuch Ports; which Certificate or Certificates ſuch Officer is hereby required to give; and the ſame Certificate or Certificates the Commiſſioners of the Cuſtoms are hereby required to tranſmit to the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, in order to be laid before this Board. And the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, the Commiſſioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, are to give the neceſſary Directions herein, as to them may reſpectively appertain.

W. Fawkener.

War-Office, May 14, 1782.

47*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain Muſgrave Briſcoe, from the Half-Pay of Bedford's Foot, is appointed to be Captain of a Company, vice William Sheriffe.

60*th Regiment*, 1*ſt Battalion*, Lieutenant James Campbell, of 94th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Foy.

90*th Regiment of Foot*, James Greetham, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Charles Frederick Jackſon.

94*th Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Foy, of 60th Regiment, 1ſt Battalion, to be Lieutenant, vice James Campbell.

Southern Regiment of Fencible Men, Thomas Currie, Gent. to be Enſign, vice James Chriſtie.

Lieutenant Samuel Hadley, of Captain Elliott's Independent Company of Invalids, to be Lieutenant in Captain Thomas Elrington's Independent Company of Invalids, vice Archibald Campbell.

Lieutenant Archibald Campbell, of Captain Elrington's Independent Company of Invalids, to be Lieutenant in Captain James Elliott's Independent Company of Invalids, vice Samuel Hadley.

Dublin-Caſtle, May 4, 1782.

THIS Day his Grace the Lord Lieutenant went in State to the Houſe of Peers, with the uſual Solemnity, and the Commons being ſent for, gave the Royal Aſſent to

An Act for licenſing Hawkers and Pedlars, and for the Encouragement of Engliſh Proteſtant Schools; and for ſuch other Purpoſes as are therein mentioned.

An Act for the Improvement of the City of Dublin, by making wide and convenient Paſſages through the ſame, and for regulating the Coal Trade thereof.

An Act for enlarging the Time for Trials by Niſi Prius in the City of Dublin, and County of Dublin, and for making the Proceſs of the Court of Exchequer more effectual againſt Perſons, who, being ſerved therewith, refuſe to appear.

An Act for the more ſpeedy and effectual Recovery of the King's Debts.

An Act for veſting in His Majeſty, His Heirs and Succeſſors, certain Premiſes in the City of Dublin therein mentioned, for the Purpoſes of erecting a Cuſtom-Houſe thereon, with proper Accomodations ſuitable to the Trade of the ſaid City, and ſufficient for the Collection of His Majeſty's Revenue.

An Act to regulate the Admiſſion of Barriſters at Law.

An Act for amending, altering, and continuing an Act, intituled, An Act for regulating the Price and Aſſize of Bread, and preventing Frauds and Impoſitions in the Sale of Flour, and other Articles ſold by Weight or Meaſure, in the County of Dublin.

An Act to regulate the Qualifications of Perſons appointed to Offices in this Kingdom, wherein Two or more Grantees act under one Grant, Commiſſion or Appointment.

An Act for the more effectual carrying into Execution the ſeveral Laws relating to the Turnpike Road leading from the City of Dublin to Mullingar, and for enabling the Truſtees of ſaid Road to widen and make more convenient the Approaches from the Town of Chapelizod to the City of Dublin, and for other Purpoſes; and for correcting a Miſtake in an Act paſſed in the laſt Seſſion of Parliament in this Kingdom, intitled, An Act for making a Turnpike Road from Nenagh, in the County of Tipperary, to O'Brien's Bridge, in the County of Clare.

&c.

An Act for continuing and amending several Laws relating to His Majesty's Revenue, and for the more effectually preventing of Frauds therein; and for such other Purposes as are therein mentioned.

An Act for the Relief of Sheriffs, from whom Prisoners in Execution for Debt shall be rescued in their Removal by Virtue of Writs of Habeas Corpus, in such Cases where the said Sheriffs shall appear to have been guilty of no Neglect or Default.

An Act for prohibiting the Use of Lime in Bleaching, regulating Seal-Masters of Linens, encouraging the Home Manufacture of Ashes for Bleachers Use, enlarging and rendering more commodious the Linen-Hall in the City of Dublin; and other Purposes therein mentioned.

An Act to explain and amend an Act made in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Years of His present Majesty, intitled, An Act for regulating the curing and preparing Provisions, and for preventing Combinations among the several Tradesmen, and other Persons employed in making up such Provisions, and for regulating the Butter Trade in the City of Dublin, and for other Purposes therein mentioned; or so much thereof as relates to the regulating of the Butter Trade in the City of Dublin, County of the said City, and Liberties thereunto adjoining.

An Act for reviving and amending several Temporary Statutes.

An Act for repealing so much of an Act made in the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Years of the Reign of King Charles the Second, intitled, An Act for the true making of all Sorts of Cloth called the old and new Drapery, and the true Searching and Sealing thereof by His Majesty's Alnager within this Kingdom; and also so much of an Act made in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Years of His present Majesty's Reign, intitled, An Act for the better Regulation of the Woollen Manufacture of this Kingdom, as relates to the new Drapery, Cottons and Stockings; and for other Purposes.

An Act for the better regulating the Corn Trade in this Kingdom.

An Act to enable the Governors of any of the Schools founded in this Kingdom, to make long Leases of such Lands as have been granted for the Support of the said Schools, and are situate in Counties of Cities and Counties of Towns.

An Act to explain and amend the Acts for the Encouragement of the Fisheries of this Kingdom, and for preventing the good Ends proposed by such Laws.

An Act to amend an Act, intitled, An Act for licensing and regulating Lottery Offices, and for other Purposes therein mentioned, made in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Years of His Majesty's Reign.

An Act to amend the Laws for the erecting and regulating Free-Schools.

An Act for the more effectually preventing the multiplying Votes at Elections of Members to serve in Parliament for Boroughs, where a Right of Voting is vested in the Protestant Inhabitants in General, or Protestant Inhabitants and others.

An Act to remove certain Doubts which have been conceived concerning the Construction of three several Acts of Parliament passed in this Kingdom in the Reign of His present Majesty, for granting Annuities to such Persons as should voluntarily subscribe the Sums therein respectively mentioned.

An Act for the further Relief of His Majesty's Subjects of this Kingdom, professing the Popish Religion.

An Act for rendering the Manner of conforming from the Popish to the Protestant Religion more easy and expeditious.

An Act for the Relief of Protestant Dissenters in certain Matters therein contained.

An Act for establishing a Bank, by Name of the Governors and Company of the Bank of Ireland.

An Act to enable the Clergy to issue Process or Execution for Debts, due for Tythes or Dues under five Pounds.

And to One Private Bill.

Office of Ordnance, May 3, 1782.

WHereas Shipping is wanted for Government Service; Notice is hereby given, that Proposals in Writing, sealed up, addressed to the Master-General of the Ordnance, and marked on the Outside, "Proposals for Shipping," will be opened in the Presence of such Persons who may offer Ships fit for the Service.

John Boddington.

Office of Ordnance, May 6, 1782.

THE Master General and Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance give Notice, That they will sell by public Auction at the Tower, on Thursday the 23d Instant, sundry Lots of Cartridges, Match, Tanned Hides, Sheep skins, Tarpaulins, Hair Cloths, Harness, Brass, Copper and Iron Work for Fire Engines, Leather Hose, Lignum Vitæ Sheaves, Bedding, Drums, Trumpets, Colours, Lanthorns, Tin Canteens, Powder Horns, Standing Vices, Iron Gyn Blocks, Grates, &c. Hatchets, Axes, Spades, Shovels, White and Tarred Rope, Old Copper, Cast, Bushel, Lump, Hammered and Wrought Iron, and other old and unserviceable Stores, which may be viewed at the Tower till the Day of Sale, and printed Lists of the Lots will be delivered to such Persons as apply for the same.

By Order of the Board,
John Boddington.

Custom-House, London, May 13, 1782.

FOR SALE,

BY Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in the Long Room in the Custom-House, London, on Thursday next the 16th of May, 1782, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, precisely,

For y four Casks of Pickled Citrons.

To be viewed at the King's Warehouse, on Wednesday and Thursday Mornings, from Nine to One o'Clock.

East India House, May 14, 1782.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies do hereby give Notice,

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Thursday next, the 16th Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on special Affairs.

General Post-Office, May 4, 1782.

DANIEL Hughes standing charged on a violent Suspicion of being an Accessary after the Fact to a Felony committed by George and Joseph Weston, now in Custody for robbing the Bristol Mail, on the 29th of January, 1781, near Cranford-Bridge in the County of Middlesex; Whoever will apprehend the said Daniel Hughes, or be the Means of his being apprehended, shall receive a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS, to be paid on his Conviction.

The said Daniel Hughes is by Trade a Taylor, lately lived at No. 15, Leicester-street near Swallow-street, and from thence removed to Mrs. Taylor's, Titchfield-street; he is Brother to Luke otherwise Lucius Hughes, now under Sentence of Death in Newgate, is about Thirty Years old, Five Feet Four or Five Inches high, stout and well made, has a large Scar under One of his Jaws, wears his Hair, which is of a dark Colour,

lour, generally tied in a Queue, and lately kept a Lottery-Office near Charing-cross.

By Command of the Post-Master General,
Anth. Todd, *Sec.*

Corporation Office, N° 13, Paper-buildings, Temple, London.

THE Governors of the Charity for the Relief of the Poor Widows and Children of Clergymen, do hereby give Notice, that they will begin to pay the Widows Pensions at this Office on Thursday in Whitsun Week, being the 23d of May instant, and continue to pay the same on Friday the 24th, Saturday the 25th, of the same Month, Thursday the 6th of June, Thursday the 4th of July, Thursday the 1st of August, and Thursday the 5th of September, between the Hours of Ten and One o'Clock, and not later, or at any other Time.

Thomas Wall, *Reg.*

London. May 13, 1782.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Portland, who were actually on Board on the 25th of December 1780, at the Capture of the Dutch Galiots the Ulric Harman and the Pieter (in Company with others of His Majesty's Ships) that they will be paid their respective Proportions arising from the neat Produce of the Hull and Cargo of the Ulric Harman, and of the Hull of the Pieter, on Board the Portland at Spithead, on Saturday the 18th Instant; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the Fountain Tavern in Plymouth Dock, the First Thursday in every Month for Three Years to come.

John Lloyd, *of Plymouth, Agent.*

May 14, 1782.

THE Proprietors insured in the Union Fire Office, are desired to meet To morrow the 15th Instant, at the Queen's Arms Tavern St. Paul's Church Yard, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, to take into Consideration the late Call made upon them by the Directors.

April, 1782.

WHereas William Fayrer, late of Hare-street hill, Hatton-garden, London, Watchmaker, Son of James Fayrer, late of Lancaster in the County Palatine of Lancaster, Brazier, deceased, and who worked as Journeyman for Mr. Green, Watchmaker, in Fenchurch-street, did in July or August, 1773, leave London, and has not since been heard of. He is supposed to have gone into some Part beyond Sea. If he be living, and will give Information thereof, and where he now resides, to Thomas Lodge, of Bare, near Lancaster, Esq; or to Mr. Christopher Bradshaw, of Lancaster, Executors of the Will of the deceased James Fayrer, within 18 Months from the Publication hereof, he will be made acquainted of something to his Benefit.

LONDON. At the General Quarter Session of the Peace of our Lord the King, holden for the City of London, at the Guildhall within the said City, on Monday the Eighth Day of April, in the Twenty-second Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third, King of Great Britain, &c. before William Plomer, Esquire, Mayor of the City of London, Brass Crosby, Esquire, one of the Aldermen of the said City, James Adair, Serjeant at Law, Recorder of the said City, Henry Kitchin, Esquire, Barnard Turner, Esquire, other of the Aldermen of the said City, and others their Fellows, Justices of our said Lord the King, assigned to keep the Peace of our said Lord the King within the said City, and also to hear and determine divers Felonies, Trespasses, and other Misdeeds, committed within the said City.

BE it remembered, That the Inspector of Corn Returns hath, in open Court, presented and delivered to the Lord Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen, assembled at this present Session, a certain Book, into which the States or Accounts of the General Aggregate Quantities, Prices, and Average Prices of English Wheat, Rye, Pease, Beans, Barley, Malt, Bigg and Oats, bona fide sold and delivered, between the 27th Day of December and the 30th Day of March now last past, by each and every Cornfactor dealing by Commission in the Sale of Corn or Grain in the Corn-Exchange, London, have been made up, formed, computed and distinguished, and fairly and properly inserted; and hath verified upon his Oath, that the same have been fairly, correctly, and properly made up, formed and computed, to the best of his Power, Skill and Judgment, and according, so far as in him lay, to the true Intent and Tenor of the Act of Parliament in that Behalf: And the General Average Prices of each of the said respective Sorts of Corn and Grain thereby appearing to the said Lord Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen, they do hereby, in Pursuance of the said Act, deem and certify the same to be as follow, viz.

	£.	s.	d.	
Wheat - - -	2	0	5	the Quarter.
Rye - - - -	1	1	9	the Quarter.
Pease - - -	1	6	0	the Quarter.
Beans - - -	1	1	7	the Quarter.
Barley - - -	0	16	10	the Quarter.
Malt - - - -	1	8	0	the Quarter.
Bigg - - - -	0	12	0	the Quarter.
Oats - - - -	0	13	10	the Quarter.

And do hereby order and direct, that the said General Average Prices be published in The London Gazette once in Four several Weeks immediately succeeding this present Session.

By the Court,
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MESS. Froud and Stephens, of the City of New Sarum, Mercers, having come to an Agreement for dissolving their Copartnership, as soon as an exact State of the Affairs thereof can be ascertained; All Persons who have any Demands on the said Copartnership, are requested to send a full and particular Account thereof, addressed to Mess. Froud and Stephens, in Salisbury, within Ten Days from the Date hereof. Witness our Hands this 4th Day of May, 1782.

Ab. Froud.
Wm. Stephens.

Worcester, May 4, 1782.

A Dividend of the Amount of the Estate and Effects of John Craig, late of Claines in this County, will be made on Tuesday the 28th Instant, by Richard Bury, one of the Trustees to the said Estate. Those Creditors who have omitted to send in a State of their Claims are desired to deliver them immediately.

SUCH of the Creditors of Sir William Gibbons, of Stanwell Place in the County of Middlesex, Bart. as have not already sent an Account of their Demands to Mess. Coulthard and Graham, of Lincoln's-inn, are desired to send the same to them on or before the 20th Instant.

THE Creditors of William Browne, late of the City of Bristol, Merchant, (a Bankrupt) are desired to meet the Assignees, at the Rummer Tavern, in All-saints-lane in the said City, on Saturday the 8th of June next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, to take into Consideration sundry Affairs of Consequence relative to the said Bankrupt's Estate.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, dated the 13th Day of December, 1781, made in a Cause, Watkins against Eglinton, the Creditors (if any remain unsatisfied) of George Watkins, late of Fairstead in the County of Essex, Clerk, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Edward Montagu, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of William Mitchell, late of Hemingford in the County of Huntingdon, Eſq; are to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies, before William Welter Peppys, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 19th Day of June next, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree of His Majeſty's Court of Exchequer at Weſtminſter, before Francis Ingram, Eſq; Deputy Remembrancer of the ſaid Court, at the King's Remembrancer's Office in the Inner Temple, London, on the 31ſt of May inſtant, between Five and Seven in the Afternoon, (in Lots) A certain Freehold Eſtate called Baddamsfield Farm, in the Pariſh of Newland, and a Meſſuage Tenement, Farm-houſe, and Lands, called Neſkell, in the Pariſh of Lidney, both in the County of Glouceſter, and Part of the Eſtates of Robert Pyrke, late of Newnham in the ſaid County of Glouceſter, Gentleman, deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the King's Remembrancer's Office aforeſaid.

Glaſgow, April 17, 1782.

THE Creditors of William and Walter Tait, Merchants in Glaſgow, having been formerly requeſted, by Notice in the News-papers, to lodge exact Notes of their Debts, and Affidavits to the Verity thereof, againſt Meſſ. Taits, both as in Partnerſhip and Individuals, in the Hands of George Smith, Writer in Glaſgow, be wixt and the 1ſt Day of April inſtant; and as a Number of the ſaid Creditors have failed to comply, the Truſtees in whom the ſequeſtrated Perſonal Eſtates of Meſſ. Taits have been veſted, for Behoof of their Creditors, again intimate to thoſe Creditors who have neglected, that unleſs they lodge ſuch Claims and Affidavits in the Hands of the ſaid George Smith, on or before the 1ſt Day of June next, the Funds in the Truſtees Hands will be immediately thereafter divided among ſuch Creditors as may have claimed.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt James Galley, late of Southwick in the County of Durham, Coalfitter, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of his Eſtate and Effects, on the 5th of June next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Walter Reay, in Sunderland in the ſaid County, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees proſecuting or defending one or more Suits at Law or in Equity touching the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo for the Purpoſe of conſidering or varying the Reſolution entered into by the ſaid Creditors at a Meeting held at the ſaid Mr. Reay's on the 30th Day of October laſt; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt John Newcomb, late of Horbling in the County of Lincoln, Grocer, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees, on Friday the 31ſt of May inſtant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the George Inn, in Billingborough, Lincolnſhire, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt John Freeman, of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Horſe-dealer, Pot aſh-maker, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Saturday the 25th Day of May inſtant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Golden Croſs Inn, in Haleſowen, in the County of Salop, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, for Recovery of any Part of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt William Rabone and Lewis Benjamin Crinſoz, late of Joiner's-hall-buildings, Thames-ſtreet, London, Merchants and Partners, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of their Eſtate and Effects, on Friday the 17th of May inſtant, at Nine in the Forenoon, at the George and Vulture Tavern, Cornhill, London, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees empowering the Aſſignees of Meſſ. Collinſon and Tritton to receive divers Debts of the ſaid Bankrupts in North and South Carolina, by them aſſigned to the ſaid Meſſ. Collinſon and Tritton; and alſo permitting the ſaid Aſſignees of Meſſ. Collinſon and Tritton, to take Poſſeſſion of certain Ships aſſigned to them by the ſaid Bankrupts; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt John Winton, of Horſham in the County of Suſſex, Scrivener, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of his Eſtate and Effects, on Thurſday the 23d Inſtant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the Caſtle Tavern, in Brighthelmſtone, Suſſex, to aſſent to or diſſent from their commencing, proſecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Thomas Hill, of Lothbury, London, Warehouſeman, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of his Eſtate and Effects, on Friday the 17th Day of May inſtant, at Six in the Evening precisely, at the Baptiſt Head Coffee-houſe in Aldermanbury, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from their commencing, proſecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity; or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

Notice to the Creditors of William Maxwell, Eſq; of Ardwell in the Shire of Wigton.

THAT, upon the Application of the ſaid William Maxwell, the Lord Alva, Ordinary then officiating on the Bills, did, upon the 26th of December laſt, ſequeſtrate the whole Perſonal Eſtate belonging to the ſaid William Maxwell; and upon the 4th of April laſt, the ſaid Lord Ordinary nominated and appointed Thomas Naiſmith, Writer in Edinburgh, to be Factor on the ſaid ſequeſtrated Eſtate; and further appointed the Creditors to meet at Stranrawer, within the Houſe of Nathaniel Taylor, Vintner there, upon Friday the 31ſt of May 1782, at Twelve o'Clock, in order to continue ſaid Factor, or to chuſe another Factor, or a Truſtee or Truſtees, in his Place; and of all which ordained public Notice to be given.

The ſaid Thomas Naiſmith, therefore, in Terms of the above Order of Court, hereby requires the Creditors of the ſaid William Maxwell to meet by themſelves, or their Doers properly authoriſed, at Stranrawer, within the Houſe of the ſaid Nathaniel Taylor, Vintner there, upon the ſaid 31ſt Day of May curt. at Twelve o'Clock Noon, in order to continue the ſaid Thomas Naiſmith Factor on ſaid ſequeſtrated Eſtate, or to chuſe another Factor, or a Truſtee or Truſtees, in his Place.

Tho. Naiſmith.

N. B. As Matters of very great Importance are propoſed to be laid before the Creditors at the above Meeting, it is earneſtly hoped and intreated that the whole Creditors may attend, by themſelves, or Doers properly authoriſed.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſue forth againſt Jonathan Tomkins, of Portſmouth in the County of Hants, Upholſterer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 17th Day of May inſtant at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on the 28th Day of the ſame Month at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, and on the 25th Day of June next at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Edwards, in Quality-court, Chancery-lane.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued againſt Adam Watſon, of Little Britain, London, Cordwainer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 25th Day of May inſtant, and on the 15th and 25th Days of June next, at Ten in the Forenoon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the